Republican Nominations. FOR PRESIDENT, RUTHERFORD B. HAYES, of Obio.

FOR VICE PRESIDENT, WILLIAM A. WHEELER, of N. Y.

Republican State Convention. A republican state convention to nominate candidates for state officers, and electors for president and vice president of the United States, and for the transaction of other business, will be held at the opera house in the city of Lansing, at 12 o'clock noon, on Thursday, August 3, 1876.

In accordance with a resolution adopted at

day, August 3, 1876.

In accordance with a resolution adopted at Grand Hapids, May 10, 1876, every county will be entified to one delegate for each 500 of the total vote cast for governor in 1874, and one additional delegate for each fraction of 300 votes, but every organized county will be entitled to at least one delegate.

Under the resolution of 1858, no delegate will be spittled to a seat who does not reside in the county he represents.

the county he represents.

B. D. BINGHAM, Chairman.

Republican Congressional Convention The Republicans of the Fourth Congressional District of Michigan are requested to meet at Peak's Hall, in the city of Niles, at 11 o'clock a. m. on Tuesday, the 8th day of Angust, 1876, for the purpose of nominating a candidate for Representative in the 45th Congress. It is recommended that the basis of representation adopted by the last State Convention be followed in the apportionment of delegates to this Convention, upon which basis the county of Berrien will have 12 delegates; Kalamazoo, 12; Van Buren, 10; St. Joseph, 10; Cass. 8. Total, 52. WM. P. BENNETT, F. W. CURTERIUS,

WM. P. BENNETT,
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ERI BEEBE,
J. P. THRESHER,
T. E. CLAFF,
Fourth Congressional Dist. Committee,
Dated June 19th, 1876.

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The Connecticut House of Representatives on last week Tuesday passed, by a vote of 106 yeas to 40 nays, a bill extending the ballot to woman in certain cases.

On Sunday last, the 25th inst., the Swiss residents of Chicago, calebrated the four hundredth anniversary of the Battle of Murtenwhich was fought on the 25th day of June in the year one thousand four hundred and seventy-six, and won for Switzerland her national independence.

It is fortunate that Haves has secured his nomination to the Presidency without any corrapt bargaining for support and without promises of political preferment to this or that candidate or his friends. The result will be, that if ejected President he will be free to construct his cabinet in the interest of the country and so as to secure a successful administration.

The Indianapolis Journal says that the record of Hon. William A. Wheeler on the so-called "salary grab" is entirely unique. He voted against the measure at every stage and on its final passage. After it passed he drew his back pay, converted it into United States bonds and turned the bonds into the Treasury with the request that they be canceled, saying that he would "stop the interest on that much of the public dobt, at least,"

It is reported that Mr. Hayes, in his letter of lance will bring out the hard-money and civil sarvice reform planks of the platform much more emphatically than was done by the convention itself. If this be true, if the caudidate of the party dares to take the stand of construing the party's platform as really meaning bonest earnest, thorough reform in the civil service and honest money for the peopie, the country will rest assured that such a

his common sense and eloquent speech, he made the best hit at the financial vagaries of the present day that we have seen. It is as

"In these times of depression and financial "In these times of depression and financial distress, when statesmen, or men who think they are statesmen, financiers, and political economists, are groping in the dark for some measure of relief, proposing all sorts of impossible schemes, legislating this way and that—calling a dellar two dellars if you owe a debt, and fifty cents if somebody owes you—imagining that an act of Congress may prove a magician's wand by which hard times may be waved away and good times beckened in. I sometimes think that the only path that will lead us back to prosperity is the highway of labor, productive industry, old fashioned hard work, that will enable us to produce more than we consume, earn more than we spend, and exwe consume, earn more than we spend, and ex-port more than we import."

That is the idea exactly. No resolution of any political convention, no act of any legislature or of congress, can change the basis of that which the world has established and recognized as the standard and measure of values from the days that Joseph's brothers sold him into bondage to the present time.

The Cincinnati Gazette refers thus to the nomination of Hayes and Wheeler: "Our flag is there. It is nailed to the masthead. It will stand. It will wave in November in celebration of a victory equal to any that has heretofore been achieved in this country. The Republican party, by the action of yesterday's band that was lifted to assassinate the good old party was stayed and we are safe. Bristowwas not the choice, but his honored name, his grand achievements, and the patriotism of his friends saved the party and saved the country. With Hayes as President and Bristow at the head of the treasury department, with a firm and honest President, and a fearless, honest and aggressive Secretary, thieves will find no abiding place outside of the penitentiary. The traders in political patronage will be banished, honest men will come to the front, and in this centennial convention, has been saved from disaster. The will be inscribed upon the national banner .-Railroad rings, whisky rings, treasury rings, and disreputable rings of every kind have been voted down, and we have a ticket and a platform around which all honest men may raily.

Upon bearing of the nomination of Haves. Blame sent him the following dispatch :

The Bangor Reflector of the 24th inst., in giving a summary of the newspaper senting on the congressional question, says: "The TRUE NORTHERNER contents itself with an occasional leonine growl at every candidate that shows his bead without thus far showing any

The Reflector is mistaken as to the "leoniz growl." We have borne our testimony as to the character and worth of Mr. A. S. Dyckman, and the Reflector's pet, Hon. C. W. Clisbee. We have boped to see a Van Buren county man put forward on whom the people of this county and this district could unite and feel that they had found the "right man for the right place," but have not seen proper to take any course that would seem dictatorial. Neither have we wished to attempt to forestal public opinion by attempting to force it into channels other than it would naturally drift on a careful survey of the field and a full canvass of the merits of the several candidates and their peculiar fitness for the position. It is the people who are to be served, and we have preferred to wait until publie sentiment had settled down on some one of the several candidates as their choice, and then follow the lead of that sentiment. From present indications we judge that the people are fast coming to their conclusion in this matter. We are also aware that the great voting public took at candidates from a stand-point of their own and not from that of the self-interested and his special champions.

In these times of distrust, the people want men of honesty, integrity and great efficiency. They want men who will ever be found on the right side of every great question that is now before the country, and who have the courage. ability and power to make themselves felt in their wishes by wire-pullers and the self-inter-

We claim to know something of popular sencools Mr. Bristowis Lot M. Morrill, of the timent on the congressional question, and, if ciations. Indeed, she has made many original we mistake not, that sentiment has already observations. She is a conscientious critic and drifted away from some of the names that have been brought forward. We know not what the ness and body. She is not satisfied with passing ultimate result may be, but having no "pet candidate" of our own, we are prepared to adopt the "coming man," whoever he may be, and of its contents. She is a good writer, always give him a hearty support.

> We find this paragraph in the editorial columns of the Cincinnati Times :

> "The Michigan delegation threw its solid vote for Hayes just at the right time, and deserves, with its chairman, Hon. William A. Howard—a Hayes man from the start—the warm acknowledgements of the supporters of Ohio's favorite for the important service so reputered."

And in the Chicago Tribune's detailed report of the struggle is this etatement:

"The first break in favor of Hayes was made "The first break in favor of Hayes was made by Michigan on the fifth ballot. Up to that time Blaine had been getting 8 to 6, Bristow 9 to 11, and Hayes 4. Wm. A. Howard, who was the leader of the delegation, concluded that the time had come for the Hayes movement to be-gin. The whole delegation could not be con-centrated on either Blaine or Bristow, but all agreed to follow their venerable and veteran leader for Hayes, who cast the 22 votes of his State solid for the Buckeye. The Ohio men State solid for the Buckeye. The Ohio men were set wild, and there was great commotion and extreme nervous excitement from that mo-ment until the struggle was over. To Howard belongs the honor for leading the coalition of

On Wednesday, of last week, the Chicago Times contained an editorial article remonstratsaid that such action would be a dangerous blunder for the democratic party inasmuch as it would be a practical endorsement of disloyalty. It proceedes to arraign Mr. Tilden as

The fact that Mr. S. J. Tilden was chairman of the platform committee of the Chicago con-vention in 1864, which put forth the famous man will gather about him a Cabinet made up of just such men as Bristow, able, upright, fearless.

Governor Bagley, attended the Cass County Pioneer Picnic, which was held at Cassapolis, on Wednesday, June 21st. In the course of the course of the course and alcount speech, he are the course of t

We copy from the record of the Democratic National Conveytion of 1864 as follows: "Mr. Tilden, of New York, offered the follow-

"Resolved, That a committee of one delegate from each State, to be selected by the delegation thereof, be appointed to report resolutions, and that all resolutions in relation to a platform for the Democratic party be referred to said committee, without debate."

The resolution was adopted, and the committee appointed as follows:

Maine—John W. Dana,
New Hampshire—Edwin Pease.
Connecticut—Charles R. Ingersoll.
Rhode Island—Charles S. Bradley.
Massachusetts—George Lunt.
Vermont—T. B. Redneld.
New York—SAMUEL J. TILDEN. New Jersey—Abraham Browning. Pennsylvania—Geo. W. Cass. Delaware—Charles Brown.
Kentucky—James Guthrie.
Chio—Clement L. Vallandighan,
Indiana—James M. Hanna.
Illinois—S. S. Marshall. Hinnois—S. S. Marshall, Michigan—Agustus C. Baldwin, Wisconsin—George B. Smith, Minnesota—E. O. Hamlin, Missouri—William A. Hall, Iowa—I. F. Bates. California—John B. Weller. Oregon—Benjamin Stark. Kaneas—Wm. C. McDowell.

The platform reported by the committee con sisted of six resolutions. The first one was a declaration of "unswerving fidelity to the Union under the Constitution." The second one was in the following words, namely:

RESOLVED, That this convention does ex-

Every one of the six resolutions was in relation to the war, but none had any great politi-cal significance, or gave any positive indication of a political party, excepting the second one— the famous "peace resolution" reproduced

The fact that Mr. Tilden was the foremost member of the committee which brought forth the burial platform of the Democratic party would not seem to encourage any reasonable expectations of his election to the Presidency

I offer you my sincerest congratulations upon your nomination. It will be alike my highest pleasure, as well as my first political duty, to do the utmost in my power to promote your election. The earliest moments of my returning and confirmed health, will be devoted to securing you as large a vote in Maine as she would have given for myself.

ELG. BLACKE.

Men and Women.

Mrs. Shepherd Wells performed the ceremony at the recent laying of the corner stone of the new building for indigent women in St. Louis. Robert Dale Owen was married at Lake

George, last Friday, to Lottie Walton, daughter of the late Martin Kellogg, of Hartford, Conn. The ladies of Syracuse have formed a Come Home Husbands' Club; and although the club has been in operation but a week, the broom makers of the city have held two meetings for

bers for their generous patronage. An exchange wants ladies to take off their hats in church, but as long as half the ladies go to church for the purpose of displaying their hats, it is hardly possible that the suggestion will be adopted-unless a glass case is placed alongside of the pulpit for their accommods tion, and the name of the owner is prominently affixed to each hat .- [Norristown Herald.

the purpose of returning thanks to the mem-

Mrs. Mary A. Livermore returned home two weeks ago from a tour in California in excellent health and spirits. After only three days of rest, she went to Philadelphia to take part in the great convention of the temperance women of America. The Woman's Journal says :-There is not one man in a thousand, even of those who are accustomed to public life, who could do the work and endure the fatigue which this lady has undergone during the past seven years. In view of such an example, the question of woman's comparative physical and mental ability for severe and protracted labor is not only proved, but demonstrated."

The literary department of the Chicago Tribune is conducted by Mrs. Hubbard, the wife their settlement. They care less for persons of an accomplished musician. He was formerly and locations than they do for the ability to act professor of music in Yale college, and many and do. They want the best talent that can of his compositions are popular. Mrs. Hubbe found, and will have it, unless thwarted in bard is a thorough and indefatigable student, and puts her whole life into her literary work. She is strongly addicted to scientific studies, and is a member of two or three scientific assoher reviews are specially characterized by fairjudgment on a book, if it has real merit, but often gives a faithful and interesting abstract clear, and vivacious, and pithy, though seldom sparkling, and displays a mind of rare conscientiousness and culture. And her department is one of the best features of the paper with which she has been so long connected .- | New York Graphic.

Mrs. Sarah J. Spencer of Washington was the first woman who was ever granted the priv ilege of addressing a national political convention, and that convention was the Republican convention recently held at Cincinnati. The New York Tribune says she bore herself well, and her voice, clear and distinct, reached many more of her audience than many of the speakers of the day. Her thrusts at the masculine enemy were received with good-humored ap plause, and when she reminded Frederick Douglass that he owed more to one woman-Harriet Beecher Stowe-than to all the men alive, and warned the sardonic Logan that the day might come when 10,000,000 women with ballots in their hands might forget him in return for his forgetfulness of them, the convention seemed to think them fair hits, and applauded vigorously. The favorable impression which Mrs. Spencer personally made was not in the least diminished when she showed the ing against the nomination of Samuel J. Tilg her own time. Perhaps it was sympathy. perhaps it was gratitude, but the convention rewarded her at the close with a good generous round of applause, that was twice repeated.

#### Campaign Jottings. Hurrah for Hayes and Wheeler.

Hayes & Wheeler clubs are being organized all over the country.

The Hon. Ben Hill is said to have exclaimed whirlwind, that we are Shoeing up the whole with brimstone emphasis, when he heard of the county on a Contract, twenty five per cent cincinnati nomination: "They've got us again!"

Ex-Secretary Bristow addressed a Republican ratification meeting in Cincinnati last Saturday evening, and expressed unlimited confidence in the patriotism and trustworthiness of Hayes

A few years ago some of the Union soldiers wrote to Gen. Phil. Sheridan, asking him to be a candidate for President, and his answer was that if he could name the man for 1876, it would be Rutherford B. Hayes, of Ohio.

Bancon, Me., June 22.— The republican state convention met at noon to day. The attendance was large and enthusiastic. The opening address was delivered by the Hon. W. Rust. He said Maine would give Hayes and Wheeler an overwhelming majority notwithstanding

Chicago. June 21.—The Times this morning makes a savage assault on Tilden on the ground that he was charman of the committee on resolutions in the Chicago convention of 1864, which put forth the famous peace platform that declared the war a failure. It pronounces this to be the burial platform of the domocratic party, and says that the man | Filden | responsible for such a platform cannot bear lisves.

able for such a platform cannot beat Hayes The old reliable Albany Journal closes an enthusiastic article on the presidential nomina-tions with: "It is not in the nature of things, not in the nature of the American character. that such a ticket should fail. It stands for all that the clarified sentiment of the times de-mands, and is the fit embodiment of the splen-did and unassatiable platform which preceded it. Both leaders and platform are alike worthy of the republican party and of the country, and the former with their feet firmly set upon the latter, will be borne upon the shoulders of the people to an overwhelming Centennial victor."

The Detroit Free Press mourns because Hayes and Wheeler are impregnable against their attacks. There is no more work for democratic siander.—Hillsdale Standard.

ness on the part of those who want Wm. A. Howard for governor. You labor under a mistake, gentle neighbor. We do not weaken worth a cent. And here we wish to place on record the prediction, that the republican nomines for governor will either be Wm. A. Howard or the "great Unknown." It will not be Croswell.—Bay City Tribune.

The nomination of Hayes is received with manimous satisfaction by the republicans of Hillsdale; all former preferences were dispelled as soon as the nomination of Hayes was announced. From expressions of satisfaction given by republicans, we feel assured in stating there will be no diversion amoung the republicans of the banner county on the presidential ticket for 1876.—Hillsdale Standard.

member of the committee which brought forth the burial platform of the Democratic party would not seem to encourage any reasonable expectations of his election to the Presidency against such a man as Governor Hayes.

If Mr. Tilden is the St. Louis nominee he will undoubtedly run as Horatio Seymour did in 1866, handicapped with a Copperhead record of the most damaging order, and the Times has thrown a strong light on but one feature of

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And all our Gaiters too:
But den her purse is lower still,
O, what shall Nellie do.

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Go right straight down to Smith's store
Where all de "big bugs" be;
Dey keeps de berry bestest shoes
And sells dem orful cheap;
And for a berry leetle cash
Dey gibs de biggest heap.

Hie Nelly, ho Nelly,
Listen, lub, to me.
De child dat goes up street to trade,
How green dat child must be.
Such lots of shoes as Smith seeps
In dat great high, big store,
You'd better b'live you nebber seen
On ole Virginia shore.

Listen, lup, to me.

Such stacks and piles of boots and shoes
You nebber, nebber see.
So keep hour eye peal'd, Nelly, dear.
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